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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ORAL ELECTION SUMMARY FORM

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

On March 29, 2006, Examiner James Schultz called Sheridan Neimark of Browdy and Neimark, PLLC, with the following oral restriction requirement:

Group I, drawn to the subject matter of the original claims, and claims 20-58; and

Group II, directed to stents and methods and presently comprising claims 59-62.

On April 3, 2006, the undersigned orally elected Group I, including claims 20-58, with traverse, in a telephone conference with Examiner James Schultz.

It is requested that this form be made of record as a written memorandum of the oral election proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,

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